



PATIENT

Roger Carpenter

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Underweight
Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: FBL abnormal

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RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN

Right lateral and ventrodorsal views of the abdomen and right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views of the thorax totaling 5 images available for review.

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RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Abdomen

The patient is thin.

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Mild lumbosacral spondylosis is seen.

The abdominal serosal detail appears to be within normal limits for the patient's body condition.

The stomach is empty.

AGE

14 Years

The small intestinal loops are nondilated and evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen.

The transverse colon contains a large amount of inspissated fecal material. An ovoid and layered mineral opacity is seen within the transverse colon at the transition to the ascending colon. The subjective impression is that of a relatively thick large intestinal wall.

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The liver, kidneys, and urinary bladder present within normal limits.

Thorax

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Mild spondylosis between T12 and T13 is seen.

The extrathoracic soft tissues present homogeneous without abnormalities.

The cardiac silhouette is relatively upright and thin. The pulmonary vasculature is thin as well.

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Dr. Elshafie

The cranial mediastinum presents the expected soft tissue opacity. The mediastinal width is less than twice the width of the vertebral column at the same level.

The trachea is normal in diameter and presents the anticipated course. The luminal outline of the trachea is smooth.

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The bronchial tree presents with thin walls and tapers uniformly towards the periphery as expected.

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The lung parenchyma presents the expected architecture and opacity. The intrapulmonary vascular branching is seen up to the third order lung vessels.

The diaphragm is well delineated with even surface and the expected mild cranial bulging of the diaphragmatic cupola.



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RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Inspissated fecal matter in the transverse colon and presumed foreign material in the transverse colon - otherwise normal abdomen.
- Hypovolemic with microcardia and underperfusion of the lung.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

There appears to be foreign material within the transverse colon. The significance of which is unclear. Natural passage should be possible. The inspissation of the fecal matter may well be due to the dehydration. No radiographic signs of ileus are seen. Intestinal wall thickening cannot be ruled out; however, this impression is very subjective on radiographs and further definition by means of ultrasound could be considered in order to further verify the radiographic findings and further evaluate for pancreatopathy or other underlying pathology.

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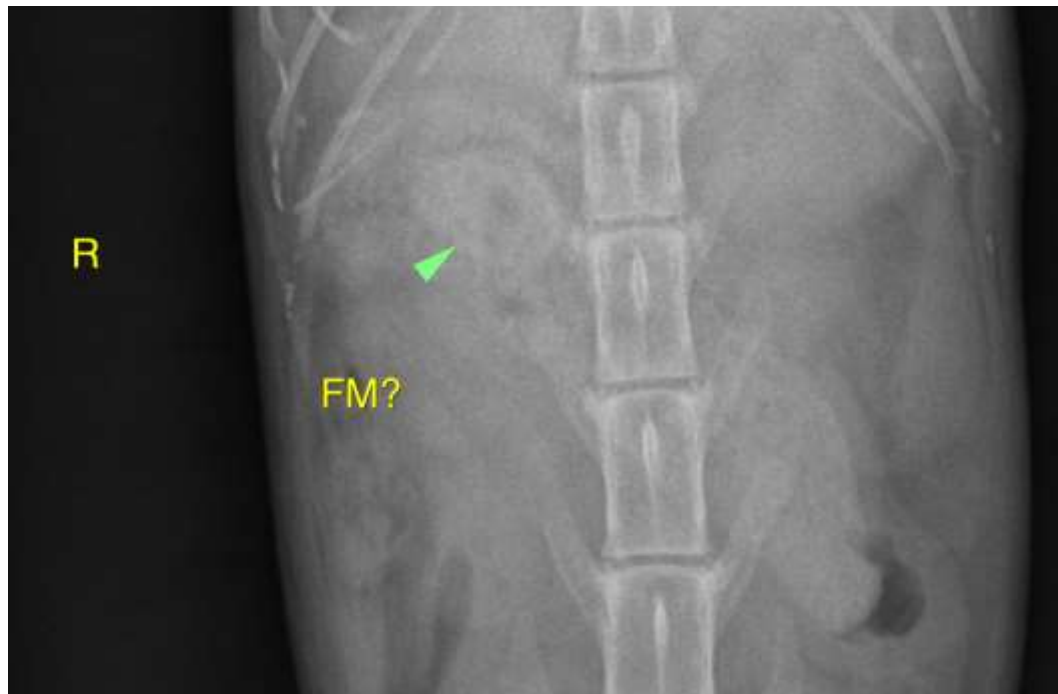
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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Thank you for this referral. If the clinical or image interpretation does not parallel your findings or if I can be of any further assistance please contact me.

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